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(57) Abstract: The present invention provides novel nucleic acids, novel polypeptide sequences encoded by these nucleic acids and uses thereof.

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						RKAASQSDKPAEKKEDESQMEDPS TSPSPGTRAASQPPNSSK\AGRKPW DRNNPLRNPLSSNLVRNPPLLAKPR KLRAPFSQQPHSRMKPAGS\VSDMA \LDAFQLDRMKQEI*KEVVRELHK GERKEIID\AIRQEA*SGISRKKNLGH RAHPPTRTSFICSRPRLM
1746	7243	A	1876	1	668	GERGVARHDRPRGTLREYKVVGRC LPTPKC\HTPPL\YR\MRIFAP*SMSSL SPRF\WYFVSQLKKDEESLQWRFSTY CAQVFEKSP\LRVK\NFGIWLRYD RSG\THNMY\REY\RDLDHPQAPVHP SCLTRDNGVAPAPAA/HEAHFHFRFI ERLEEVAGQQDCRRPGCSKQFPRIS RFKFPAPPGLSLRQDKPRFTTKRP KTFLKVQGPSSGVCPQNKTQETPR
1747	7244	A	1877	1	1059	
1748	7245	A	1878	87	260	
1749	7246	A	1879	1	1254	
1750	7247	A	1880	160	615	PSLN TYV TSPLSENFSARYRNHSND LTCVHTELQNKT KLT VLEG DILDEP FLKRACQ\DV SV\NHTACI\DVFGVT HRESIMNVNVKGRVAWGGDKARW GNEDQKEGQEGKRSLSIEHLLCSGP SDFADHYQLGELKAAIFSIDEKTRT EQ
1751	7248	A	1881	53	1338	CPLQGHPRV\LES DLLPSIFCFLVSD SCYFGLATMGWSCLVTGAGGLLGQ RIVRL VEEKELKEIRALDKA\FRPEL REEFSKLQNK\TKLT VLEG DILDEP LKESLARDRLRSI\HTACFHLMMSFGV \THREFF\MNVQC*KVPSSC*EACVQ ASVPVFIYTS\IEAGPN SYKEIIQNG HEEEPLENTWPAPYPRSKKLA\KKA VLAANGWNLK\NGGALYTCA\LRPM YIYGEGRFLSVSINEALNNNGILSS VGKFST\VN\NPVYV\GNVAWGHILAL RALQDPKKAPSIRGQFYIISDDTPH QSYDNLNYTLSKE\FGPPPLDSRWS FPLSLMYW\IGFLLGNR*GFLL\RIY TYRPPFNRHISSHCSN*ALFHLLFIKE GFSEILGVLRPLL TAGGGKAKAGKR VGSWVVWV\PFVDPAQGRN\LEVPRIQ
1752	7249	A	1882	3	575	HSLFGTSEVINKLLVPDA\MGHFTEE DKAT\TVSLWGK\VNVE\DGGE\TP GKGSLVVY\WTQRFFD\SGNLSS ASA\MGKPPKS\KAHG\KKVL\TFLGT MPTKHLE*FSRGTFCP\SLK*TCTC*Q ACMWDPGGTFKLPGENVAGLTVFG QSHFRQKN\TPEGARFFLGRKM\GD LELASALVPSRLPLKPLGP
1753	7250	A	1883	1	960	GRPAPE\DGGLSLPNAAMARGPKK HLKRVAA\PKHWMLDKLTGVFAPR PSTGPHKL\RECLPF\I\FLRNRLKYA LTS\DEVKKICMQRFIK\DGQVR\TD ITY\AGFMDV\NSIDKDGR\EF\SVL/Y LIDTQGVRFCL*HRJTP*GRAKVQSC AKMRKILLWAPKGIPSSWVTHDAR

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						NHPATPDPPSSKVN*YHFRLDLETG KDYLISSKFDTW*PCVMVTGGAN LGRNWVLITN\ERHPGIF*PLVHV IDANGNKLLATSDFSNIFWLLGKGN KPW\ISL\PRKG\GIPPHHILLEERDKRL AAKQSSWVKWGPWVTWSDLLVP
1754	7251	A	1884	1	1218	FFQNSARGAGAGWQLPWTRFVWT SGLLE\NEVTLVIQQRGVRIYDGEEKI KFDAGTLLSTHRLIWRDQKNHEC CMAILLSQ\VFIEEQAVAGIGKSAKI VVHL\HPAPPNKEPGPVFQSSKNSYI KLSFKEHGQIEFYRRLSEEMTQRRW ENMPVSQSLQTNRGPQPGRIRAVGI VGTERKLEEKRKETDKNISEAFEDL SKLMIKAKEMVELSKSIANKIKDKQ GDITEDETIRFKSYL\LSMGIANPVT RETYGSGTQYHM\QLAQQL\AWNIA RVPLEERGGIMSLTEVYCLVNRARG MELLSPEDLVNACKMLEALKPLR LRVFDGVMVIELQSHKEEEMVAS ALETVSEMGS LTS*EFAKLVGMCSV LAKEPLLAEKGHLCRDDSVEGL RFYPNL FMTQS
1755	7252	C	1885	179	361	MPKVCVHNFLKTSSERDLFALMN TVGKKHSIMSEKGRSKFLHLIDSK KNEDPHLDGT*
1756	7253	A	1886	2	913	RRLLFGWARSGAVSLGSAGVSSS GFLTAPHSRRLTAAAAAAGGAWRF EAERHRGWAEEEQQPEGGAVCPG TERPCAMAYAYLFKYIIIGDTGGGR SCLLLQFTDKRFQPSAMTLTNGVEF GARMITIDGKQIK\LQIWDTAGQES FRSITRSYY\RGAAAGALLVYDITR DTSTHLLTWLEDARQHSHFQHGS LCLLGPNKSDL\ESRKE\VSKKRKEGE SFLQPRNHGLHLPWKTSCKNCFPM KEAFINTSKRNFIEKIQEGVFDINNE ANGIKIGP\QHAATNA\THAG\NQGG QQAGGGCC
1757	7254	A	1893	138	426	FIHSHCCIVFRLFIHFSLHPKVIHSPIN SLLRIFQF*AIMNSTV*NLIHVFW*V YTFPFG\NPKKGIARL*GVYIFSFTY CQTVFQSDCKKAPF
1758	7255	A	1894	45	1057	FLVFLVETGFHHVAQAVLELLASSD PPALAPPKCWDYRCCELLRAEFCFL RTEFWYLLFFFFWRRSLALSPLREC SGANL\THCNLR/LPGFKQFSCLSLSS SWDYRCMPH\ATFFVF/SVETGFH RVAQASLELLSSGSLPALA/FPKCW DYRAKATV/WPSPGVSSFILGL*TS* FHSLEPYLHA WKTTS\HLP\PTKEALT W\VSHTAKTKHLWILV\SLMEF*VA LIS/SFFLGPGGK*T*VTAPQCPSLGQ DTLS*FLHA\ACTRSV\YPYGLA/CGPS LWLTRVLLLP\TPPP*QQHNP/DTLEKT SFPGPHWIL*/TPQPSLSETPAPK\VP FPAFGSIPTHEEPGLP
1759	7256	A	1895	2	289	

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1760	7257	A	1896	1	397	
1761	7258	A	1897	1	410	STMISPVLILFSSFLCHVAIAGRTCPK PDDLPFSTVPLKTFYEPGEEITYSC KPGYVSRRGM\RKFICPLTGLWPIN TLKCTPRVCVPFAGNLRKMGAVRLIT DFLNYSPTRFSFSLLTWGFILEWAL DS\AKCIEGG
1762	7259	A	1898	19	1215	CQCDSSTMFSRCSSLFSSFLCHVAI AGRTCPKPDDLPFSTVPLKTFYEP G\EEITYSCKPGYVSRRGGIEESLSCPL \TGTVGPFNTSGNVTPRVCVPF\AGIFR KMGGRTLITF*NYPNTDPVFSLLTL GF*FWNGALDFWPSCPCTGGKGKWS P\ELPGLVAPI\CPPPSIP/TGFATLH VLLRPFRLLGNNSPPIGDTAVFECLA HNMAMFG\NDTITCTTHGKLDLNY PECRGSKMPPFPHQDPDNGIW*TYP CQNPNTLFTRVKAPHLGLPHDGIFS GMGPRKE\EC*PQTWGKPGSWPLA PSW*KPSLVKGTPVKKRPTVV/YPQ GERVKDSREKFKEWECLHG**KFLS FCKNKEKKCSYTEDAQCIDGTIEVP KCFK\EHSSLAFWKT\DA\DVKPC
1763	7260	A	1899	58	446	
1764	7261	A	1900	1	954	MGEVSGTSDDCTDDQCRCQVKALEG GKAARGHRSKIKIRFFRPGGLGP GP AITAAGMPRVYIGRLSYQAREHA VVERLLNGHAKILEVDLKNGYGFVE FDDLRDADDAVYELNGKDLCGERV IVEHARGPRRDGSYGSGRSGYGYR RSGRDKYGPPTRTEDRLIVEN\LT SR CSWQLDKDYMRQAGEVTYADAHK GRQKMKGVIEFVSYSDMKRALEKL DGTEVNCRKIRLVEDKPGSRRRRSY SRSRSHSRSSRSRHSRKSRSGSS KSSHSSKRSRSRSRSGRSRSRSRSRSQ SRSRSKKEKRSRSPSKDKS\RSRSHSA\ GKSRSKSKDQA\EKFQNNDNVGK PKSRSPSRHKSKRSRQSER\VEE GRKRGSF*QGQ/EAQEKSLSRQSR\ SRSKAGSR*PVDRSRSKSKDKRKS RKSREESRSRSRSRSRSRKRGS\ KRDSKAS\SKKKKEDTDRSQSR PSRSV\SKEREHA/RSLESSQREGRG ESENAGTNQEDPGPGPRSM\SKSKP NLPIRMHRSKIKSQASKTPISGPM SR\SASRSP\SRSRSKSRSSRSRSRS KKEKRSRSPSKDKSLQPQP
1765	7262	A	1901	3	180	
1766	7263	A	1902	227	440	GMHNVCYVAVNE*FCGFIIR*SLAE RRQIS*EFQLFKFTLCLELILARRAC RESMA\SPVAGSWSHFPREF
1767	7264	A	1903	2	438	HEELDTSERKIEFDSASGTYTLYLN GDAHFEEPQLSLWNVADLVHQSPPE EKAPLDLSCPQNLFTPQKQEIQWIRI GA\NVS\NFTFAP\STI\FH\LGHA\AM LGLMYVYWTQLNMF\QTLKYLAIL GSVTFLAGNRMLAQQAVKRTAH

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1768	7265	A	1904	1	1660	
1769	7266	A	1905	156	2369	PVLKTHPGPQSLPRVPGVPCGGLLE PLSRAEVSPRGRLRRDLGGMAPPG SSTVFLLALTIIASTWALTPTHYLTK HDVERLKASLDRPFTNLESAFYISIV GLSSLGAGQVPAKKACTYIIRSNLDP SNVDSLFLY\A\QA\SQGLSGCEISIN ETKDLLLLA\AVSEDSSVYPRSYHAS WQL*SGLLGSLWAVPKESTQVAL NWLVFKQGKETVL\ATVQALQTAS HLSQQADLRSIVEE\EDLVARLDEL GGLYLQ\FEEGLETTALFVAATYKA \LMDHVGT\EP\SIKE\ADQV\IQLMNAI FSKKNFES\SEAFSV\ASG\AAVLS HNRYHVPVVVVPEGSASDTHEQAI LRLQVTNVLSQPLTQATVKLEHAK SVASRATVLQKTSFTP\VGIVFELNF MNVKFSGG*CDF\VEVEGDNRYIS\ NTVELRVQDPPTEVGIT\NVDLSTV\ DKDQSIAP\QTTRV\TYPAKAGTFH SAGQATRNFGVLSSW*DVENTG\AE LTPHQTFVRLHNQKTGP\SGCLFAE PGQQGTCYKFELDTSERKGLNLTSR SGTYTLYLIIG*CQL*RTQILWKCGL MWV\KFP*GKEASFDC\LC\CSQEPFSL PKQGNFRHLFPGRP*GR\APP\WCP NTFTAPESFFGPLL/LCFLRLLWIRD WVPKCLPTFTFCFLSTIIFHPWDML AYAGTSMYVY*TQAQPCSQ\TLEVP WPILGQCDRFLAGQSGMLAPARQV KRIAEEQSSRLAKYRTLRTAH
1770	7267	A	1906	37	404	PQLSRCRSEC\MYVNPTVVMTSMGQ ATWSDPHAKTMLNRJPLGKFAGE SGGSPASVVA\VPVCALGRGGRER WAAASFLYAPDPRPAHEVEHVNN A\LFLLSDRSGMTTG\STLPVEGGFW AC
1771	7268	A	1907	271	1086	YTQCPGIEPV\CV\DLGDWEATERAL GSVGPV DLLVNNAAVALLQP\LEV TKEAFDR*ACEGGGTSGRGCPGGRS SPNL*PGSVP\PLDPLRVNLRAV\QV SQIV\A\GLI\ARGVPTGPS*NVSSQC FPAGQ*T\NHSV\LLPTKG\VP\LDMLD QG*WAL\ELGPHKLSRCRSGVNA\V NPHSGG*RSMGP\GPPWSDPHKIAKI MLNRI\LGK\FA\GESEVEHVNNAIL FLS\DRSGMTTG\STLPVEGGFWAW LSSLHTPQAPWAC\ILT\PNPSNKT
1772	7269	A	1908	2	305	ARESGSLVAPRSRPPWEHGLPGEHS *DAPRPHKSPTLPWLPHLHLSKEAL DTHQR\RSQHE\ECMPLYKFTPTSEKR PQLMLPLPEQQCEQLCRFG\STPV\TW A
1773	7270	A	1909	2	529	GTVAACGACYWLLGLMA\VRASFE NNCEIGCFAKLTNTYCLVAIGGSEN FYSV\FEGELS\TIPV\H\ASIAGCRIIG RM\CVG\TEELADVLKVEVFR\QTVA DQVLVGSYCVFSNQGGLVHPKTSIE

## WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. An isolated polynucleotide comprising a nucleotide sequence selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NO: 1-5497, a mature protein coding portion of SEQ ID NO: 1-5497, an active domain of SEQ ID NO: 1-5497, and complementary sequences thereof.  
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2. An isolated polynucleotide encoding a polypeptide with biological activity, wherein said polynucleotide hybridizes to the polynucleotide of claim 1 under stringent hybridization conditions.
- 10 3. An isolated polynucleotide encoding a polypeptide with biological activity, wherein said polynucleotide has greater than about 90% sequence identity with the polynucleotide of claim 1.
4. The polynucleotide of claim 1 wherein said polynucleotide is DNA.
- 15 5. An isolated polynucleotide of claim 1 wherein said polynucleotide comprises the complementary sequences.
6. A vector comprising the polynucleotide of claim 1.
- 20 7. An expression vector comprising the polynucleotide of claim 1.
8. A host cell genetically engineered to comprise the polynucleotide of claim 1.
- 25 9. A host cell genetically engineered to comprise the polynucleotide of claim 1 operatively associated with a regulatory sequence that modulates expression of the polynucleotide in the host cell.
10. An isolated polypeptide, wherein the polypeptide is selected from the group consisting of:
  - (a) a polypeptide encoded by any one of the polynucleotides of claim 1; and
  - 30 (b) a polypeptide encoded by a polynucleotide hybridizing under stringent conditions with any one of SEQ ID NO: 1-5497.
11. A composition comprising the polypeptide of claim 10 and a carrier.
- 35 12. An antibody directed against the polypeptide of claim 10.

13. A method for detecting the polynucleotide of claim 1 in a sample, comprising:

a) contacting the sample with a compound that binds to and forms a complex with the polynucleotide of claim 1 for a period sufficient to form the complex; and

5 b) detecting the complex, so that if a complex is detected, the polynucleotide of claim 1 is detected.

14. A method for detecting the polynucleotide of claim 1 in a sample, comprising:

a) contacting the sample under stringent hybridization conditions with  
10 nucleic acid primers that anneal to the polynucleotide of claim 1 under such conditions;

b) amplifying a product comprising at least a portion of the polynucleotide of  
claim 1; and

15 c) detecting said product and thereby the polynucleotide of claim 1 in the  
sample.

15. The method of claim 14, wherein the polynucleotide is an RNA molecule and the method further comprises reverse transcribing an annealed RNA molecule into a cDNA polynucleotide.

20 16. A method for detecting the polypeptide of claim 10 in a sample, comprising:

a) contacting the sample with a compound that binds to and forms a complex with the polypeptide under conditions and for a period sufficient to form the complex; and

b) detecting formation of the complex, so that if a complex formation is detected, the polypeptide of claim 10 is detected.  
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17. A method for identifying a compound that binds to the polypeptide of claim 10, comprising:

a) contacting the compound with the polypeptide of claim 10 under conditions sufficient to form a polypeptide/compound complex; and

30 b) detecting the complex, so that if the polypeptide/compound complex is detected, a compound that binds to the polypeptide of claim 10 is identified.

18. A method for identifying a compound that binds to the polypeptide of claim 10, comprising:

- a) contacting the compound with the polypeptide of claim 10, in a cell, under conditions sufficient to form a polypeptide/compound complex, wherein the complex drives expression of a reporter gene sequence in the cell; and
  - b) detecting the complex by detecting reporter gene sequence expression, so that if the polypeptide/compound complex is detected, a compound that binds to the polypeptide of claim 10 is identified.

19. A method of producing the polypeptide of claim 10, comprising,
  - a) culturing a host cell comprising a polynucleotide sequence selected from the group consisting of a polynucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO: 1-5497, a mature protein coding portion of SEQ ID NO: 1-5497, an active domain of SEQ ID NO: 1-5497, complementary sequences thereof and a polynucleotide sequence hybridizing under stringent conditions to SEQ ID NO: 1-5497, under conditions sufficient to express the polypeptide in said cell; and
  - 15 b) isolating the polypeptide from the cell culture or cells of step (a).

20. An isolated polypeptide comprising an amino acid sequence selected from the group consisting of SEQ ID NO: 5498-10994, the mature protein portion thereof, or the active domain thereof.

- 20 21 The polypeptide of claim 20 wherein the polypeptide is provided on a polypeptide array.

22. A collection of polynucleotides, wherein the collection comprises the sequence information of at least one of SEQ ID NO: 1-5497.
- 25 23. The collection of claim 22, wherein the collection is provided on a nucleic acid array.

24. The collection of claim 23, wherein the array detects full-matches to any one of the polynucleotides in the collection.

- 30 25. The collection of claim 23, wherein the array detects mismatches to any one of the polynucleotides in the collection.

26. The collection of claim 22, wherein the collection is provided in a computer-readable format.

27. A method of treatment comprising administering to a mammalian subject in need thereof a therapeutic amount of a composition comprising a polypeptide of claim 10 or 20 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

5 28 A method of treatment comprising administering to a mammalian subject in need thereof a therapeutic amount of a composition comprising an antibody that specifically binds to a polypeptide of claim 10 or 20 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.